

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 3693**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 2, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Pending claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.